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In re Patent Application of:
Boyd B. Moore

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Art Unit: N/A

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For: **METHOD OF MAKING A CONDUCTIVE
DOWNHOLE WIRE LINE SYSTEM**

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel original claims 1-24 without prejudice.